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In re Application of:

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SMALL ENTITY ASSERTION AND REQUEST FOR REFUND

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant of the above-identified patent application qualifies as a small entity. As such, Applicant requests a refund in the amount of \$528.00, which represents half of the government fee paid when this national phase application was filed. Applicant originally paid \$1,056.00 (\$890.00 for filing a national phase application, \$130 for late filing of Declaration, and \$36 for 2 claims in excess of 20 - \$890 + 130 + 36 = 1,056/2 = \$528).

It is therefore respectfully requested that the \$528.00 refund be credited to Deposit Account No. 22-0185.

Respectfully submitted,

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